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Dear General Svcs. Administration,
I oppose the Bush Administration's proposal
to repeal the Clinton Administration rules
on federal contractor responsibility. It is
ridiculous to reward companies guilty of
breaking federal environmental laws with
more lucrative federal contracts. This
would have the effect of rewarding a
contractor who saves costs by ignoring
environmental and safety laws.

A company's track record of complying with environmental protection laws should obviously be considered before awarding the contractor with future work.

If you don't consider a company's record on environmental and labor laws, you unfairly penalize those companies that obey the laws. Please do *not* repeal the contractor responsibility rules. These common sense rules should go into effect without further delay or study. Sincerely,
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